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Sir:

In response to the Office Action / Election Restrictions mailed August 30, 2004 and the Office Communication mailed December 9, 2004 and prior to examination of the present Application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: